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# 20 CITIES DRY, BINGHAMTON ONE OF THEM; BRITISH STRIKE BACK, STRAIGHTEN OUT LINE

## LIQUOR TRAFFIC HIT HARD BLOW IN STATE

More Than Majority of Cities Vote Bone Dry, Including Norwich, Oneida, Cortland, Ithaca and Middletown

## SYRACUSE REMAINS WET

Schenectady, Kingston and Rome Go Wet—Balloting Heaviest Ever Cast in Any Municipal Election in State, Due Largely to Women—Salamanca Votes Dry But Gives Druggists License

Albany, April 17.—The liquor traffic received a hard blow in New York state tonight with the announcement that more than a majority of the 39 cities holding local option elections had declared not only against the saloon but also against the sale of liquor under any condition.

With only one city—Geneva—in doubt, the returns show that the drys had triumphed in 20 cities, while 18 municipalities decided to continue the sale of alcoholic beverages.

Of the three second class cities in which the elections were held, Binghamton, the home town of Senator William H. Hill, author of the local option law, voted dry, but Syracuse and Schenectady remained in the wet column. The majority in Syracuse approached 10,000.

Norwich on The Dry Side.

The cities which voted against the saloon were: Auburn, Batavia, Canandaigua, Corning, Cortland, Elmira, Fulton, Gloversville, Hornell, Ithaca, Jamestown, Plattsburgh, Johnstown, Middletown, Norwich, Salamanca, Utica, Watertown, Oneida and Binghamton.

Those which voted to license the saloon were: Amsterdam, Berlin, Glens Falls, Kingston, Little Falls, Mount Vernon, Lockport, New Rochelle, Ogdensburg, Newburgh, Oneida, Port Jervis, Rome, Schenectady, Tonawanda, North Tonawanda, Oswego and Syracuse.

The balloting, which lasted two days, was the largest ever cast in any of the municipalities, due chiefly to the fact that it was the first election in which the recently enfranchised women of the state had been given an opportunity to exercise the suffrage and the first time any voters in the cities had a chance to express their views on the liquor question. An analysis of the figures at hand shows that the vote in the cities reporting average 70 percent greater than the total vote for all candidates for governor in the election of 1915.

Virtually all of the cities declaring against the saloon also voted against the sale of bottle liquors, pharmacists' houses, and the dispensing of intoxicants by hotels. Salamanca, banished all forms of sales except by druggists under a physician's prescription.

In the cities which voted dry the sale of liquor must cease on October 1 next.

The wets carried Syracuse, the largest of the 39 cities which voted on the liquor question, by a majority of about 12,000.

The vote was a surprise to the dry leaders as they had relied upon the women who comprised a majority of the electorate to turn the election in their favor.

The campaign was the most bitterly fought in the history of the city.

Schenectady voted wet yesterday and today on all four propositions by majorities ranging from 2,200 to over 1,000.

The vote on proposition 1 was Wet, 12,567; dry, 11,365. No. 2, wet, 12,564; dry, 11,011. No. 3, wet, 14,561; dry, 9,981. No. 4, wet, 12,55; dry, 10,292. Fifteen districts were carried by the dry and 25 by the wet, the former carrying only three upstate wards. About 4,000 voters or one-seventh of those registered failed to vote. The drys had counted on the women to vote with them 3 to 1, but the vote in districts where women were registered heavily showed they had a rule divided fairly evenly.

Norwich Dry by 1,600.

Norwich voted dry by approximately 1,600 majority, making all of Chenango country dry.

Rome voted in favor of license with a margin of about 3,000 for saloons and hotels, and smaller majorities for stores and drug stores.

Cortland was carried by the drys by about 2,500 on all four propositions.

Less than 150 ballots were cast.

Rome went wet by 451 on the first proposition; 434 on the second; 524 on the third; and 556 on the fourth.

Geneva voted out the saloon by 125 majority.

Middlebury went dry on all four questions. The majorities were:

Question No. 1, 826; No. 2, 778; No. 3, 512; No. 4, 452.

Official figures of the local option law Auburn went dry by 759 on the first question; 636 on second question.

## MCADOO TAKES BARGE CANAL

Director General of Railroads Announces His Department Will Operate N. Y. System

## TO RELIEVE TRAFFIC

T. A. Tomlinson of Duluth, Minn., Will Be in Charge—To Build Modern Boats

Washington, D. C., April 17.—Director General McAdoo tonight ordered that Erie and New York state barge canal systems be taken over by the railroad system and that a fleet of barges be constructed immediately and operated there under the direction of T. A. Tomlinson of Duluth, Minn., to relieve freight traffic.

This is the first inland waterway whose operation the railroad administration has definitely decided upon as a result of the extensive investigation made by the committee of inland waterways of the railroad administration. In a few weeks, however, the director general is expected to order several other canal systems and navigable rivers, including the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, the Black Warrior river in Alabama, and several Atlantic coast waterways, used actively by the railroad administration to relieve traffic on the rail lines. Construction of barges within two or three months and their intensive use in the late summer and fall is planned. Investigation now is being made of the practicability of concrete barges, which it is said, can be built quickly and cheaply. The director general announced that "he had decided to construct as quickly as possible and put into operation a line of barges to be operated by the government on the Erie canal."

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Gloversville, complete on proposition No. 1, goes dry by 2,726 majority.

Other propositions not tabulated.

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## BASEBALL RESULTS

### NATIONAL LEAGUE GIANTS TAKE ANOTHER

New York Team Defeats Brooklyn  
Second Game Straight.  
New York, April 17.—New York again defeated Brooklyn here today 2 to 0.

R. H. E. Brooklyn . . . . . 0 7 1  
New York . . . . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1-8 11 2  
Washington . . . . . 2 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 7 12 3  
Batteries—Thornmahlen, Love, McGridge and Ruel; Haw, Yingling Johnson and Ainsworth.

**RED SOX TAKE THIRD GAME.**

Schang's Single in Ninth Inning with Bases Full Cause of Victory.

Boston, Mass., April 17.—Schang's single to right in the ninth with the bases full scored two runs and gave Boston its third straight victory over Philadelphia 4 to 2, today.

Philadelphia . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 9 4  
Boston . . . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 3 5 2  
Batteries—Coombe and Miller; Barnes and Eariden.

**PIRATES WALLOW CINCY.**

Bunch Hits Off Regan for Eight Runs Gives Victory to Pittsburgh.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 17.—Pittsburgh bunched hits off Regan in the fourth inning today and the visitors even won 8 to 1.

Pittsburgh . . . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1-8 11 2  
Cincinnati . . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 12 1  
Batteries—Hamilton and Schmidt; Reuther, Regan, Eller and Allen.

**BRAVES WIN WITH EASE**

Earn Fourteen Runs in Game With Philadelphia—Score 14 to 2.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 17.—Boston easily defeated Philadelphia 14 to 2 today.

Boston . . . . . 4 5 0 1 4 0 0 -14 17 2  
Philadelphia . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 -2 7 1  
Batteries—Nehf and Henry; Tincup, Woodward and Burns, Dilhoefer.

Chicago and St. Louis rain.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

**TWELVE-INNING BATTLE.**

Baker's Long Sacrifice Fly Gives New York Victory Over Washington.

Washington, D. C., April 17.—Frank Baker's long sacrifice fly gave New York an 8 to 7 victory over Washington today in the twelfth inn-

ing.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

**National League.**

Won Lost P. C.

New York . . . . . 2 0 1,000  
St. Louis . . . . . 1 0 1,000  
Philadelphia . . . . . 1 1 .500  
Cincinnati . . . . . 1 1 .500  
Boston . . . . . 1 1 .500  
Pittsburgh . . . . . 2 1 .500  
Brooklyn . . . . . 0 2 .000  
Chicago . . . . . 0 1 .000

**American League.**

Won Lost P. C.

Boston . . . . . 3 0 1,000  
St. Louis . . . . . 1 0 1,000  
New York . . . . . 2 1 .567  
Washington . . . . . 1 2 .333  
Philadelphia . . . . . 0 3 .000  
Chicago . . . . . 0 1 .000  
Cleveland . . . . . 0 0 .000  
Detroit . . . . . 0 0 .000

**ONEONTA MARKET.**

**Grain and Feed at Retail.**

(Corrected by Morris Brothers.)

Salt, barrel . . . . . \$2.30  
Corn, kiln dried . . . . . \$1.94  
Corn meal, table use . . . . . \$4.50@5.00  
Corn meal, cwt. . . . . \$3.63  
Oats . . . . . \$1.11@1.13  
Seed Oats . . . . . \$1.19  
Seed wheat, per bushel . . . . . \$3.50  
Hominy . . . . . \$3.50

**Prices Paid Producers.**

Butter, fresh dairy . . . . . 40@41  
Butter, creamery . . . . . 42@43  
Eggs, fresh laid dozen . . . . . 35  
Veal, sweet milk veal . . . . . 18@22  
Dressed pork . . . . . 22  
Dressed beef . . . . . 13@14  
Veal grain fed . . . . . 12@13  
Potatoes . . . . . \$1.00  
Apples . . . . . 75@1.00  
Maple syrup, gal . . . . . \$1.25@1.35  
Maple sugar, lb. . . . . 16@20

**Hides.**

(Quoted by Miller Hide Co.)

Hide market remains unsettled. Following prices are subject to change without notice:

Cow hides . . . . . 9  
Bull hides over 60 lbs. . . . . 8  
Horse hides . . . . . \$5.00 to \$5.50  
Dairy Skins . . . . . \$1.50 to \$2.00  
Veal skins . . . . . \$2.00 to \$3.50  
Grazers, per pound . . . . . 13

**To Whom It May Concern.**

My wife, Mrs. Grace Sheltman, having left my bed and board, I will not pay any bills contracted by her in my name. Earl E. Sheltman, advt. 2c.

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Kitchen man wanted at once at the Pioneer lunch advt. if

**DEATH OF E. D. CHAMPLIN.**

Stamford Resident For 30 Years, Expires While Visiting Relatives.

Stamford, April 17.—News was received on Wednesday morning by his son, W. E. Champlin, of the sudden death of E. D. Champlin in Port Jervis, where he had gone for a visit. Mr. Champlin leaves a wife and a son born during his first marriage. He had been a resident of Stamford for the past 30 odd years and for a long period was in the paper and decorating business until his son purchased the business from him. He was a man in advanced years and was highly thought of and respected.

**Clerical Club Meets.**

The Clerical club of the Catskills held its regular meeting today in Stamford. A number of the ministers of the section are in attendance.

**Installation of Mr. Nutting.**

The installation of Mr. Nutting, who has recently been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church, is set for the 25th or 30th of this month.

Mr. Nutting has been serving the church as pastor for several months with success and is only awaiting his ordination to the ministry to complete his relations with the church.

**More Water Troubles.**

It was hoped that with the stoppage of the last leak found in the pipe the trouble caused by the freezing of the main would have been overcome, but indications point to another leak or break in the pipe on Harper street. Excavations are being made to locate it and it will probably be repaired within a couple of days.

**Funeral of Dr. MacMurdy.**

The funeral services of the late Dr. C. K. MacMurdy will be held on Saturday afternoon from the Presbyterian church in Stamford. Interment will be made in the MacMurdy plot in the cemetery at Hobart. Mrs. MacMurdy's parents are expected to arrive in Stamford on Thursday from their home in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Meeting of Delaware Chapter, D. A. R.

A regular meeting of the newly organized chapter of the D. A. R. named "Head of the Delaware" met at the home of Mrs. E. C. Hanford on Thursday to complete the making of the by-laws of the chapter.

**SIDNEY CENTER SIFTINGS.**

Town Board of Education Engages New Teachers.

Sidney Center, April 17.—The town board of education held a second meeting yesterday at the home of the chairman, W. H. Benedict, and made contracts with teachers for the schools in town not previously provided for. John E. Henderson has been engaged as principal of the Grammar school. Miss Leila Hodges will teach at Youngs. Miss Marjorie Wheat in the Amherst district and Miss Dorothy Burch at Chapel hill.

**Accepts Position in Restaurant.**

Mrs. J. M. Ellis has accepted a position as cook in L. A. Meeker's restaurant in Sidney and began her work there Monday morning. Her family expects to move there in the near future.

**Woman's Liberty Loan Committee.**

The Woman's Liberty Loan committee for this village is composed of representatives of the different clubs and organizations as follows: Mrs. C. W. Sagendorf, chairman; Miss Frances Bowman, Mrs. M. E. Dewey, Mrs. Herbert Stewart, Mrs. James

Dated March 25, 1918.

JAMES E. GEBLING, Executor.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

Parsons to an order of Elviss G. Welch, county judge and acting surrogate of the county of Oneonta, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of John R. Skinner, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same with vouchers thereto, to the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, in his residence, 25 Elmwood Avenue, in the city of Oneonta. In said county, on or before the first day of October, 1918.

**SIDNEY SENTINED.**

William Rose and Margaret Davis, Held on Assault Charge, are Released.

Sidney, April 17.—William Rose of Sidney, and his afflity, Margaret Davis, formerly of Oneonta, were arrested Saturday on warrants issued to Superintendent Phelps of the Human society charging them with assault on Mrs. Hannah Rose, the aged mother of William. They were placed in the village jail and brought up for trial by jury before Justice Seelye yesterday. Attorney R. W. France appeared for the defendants and Attorney Holmes of Oneonta for

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One of the many screamingly funny scenes in TWIN BEDS which will be at the Theatre Oneonta tonight. Curtain at 8:15 P. M.

## OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

### WEST ONEONTA NEWS

Cross Raises Monthly Subscriptions to \$14.85.

West Oneonta, April 17.—The Red Cross met Tuesday. Twelve ladies made 300 compresses during the afternoon.

The canvass for monthly subscriptions for Red Cross work amounted to \$14.85 a month. Those who subscribe may make payment to Mrs. Frank Taber or their canvasser.

Surgical dressings are badly needed. It is urgently requested that all ladies who can meet at Mrs. Frank Taber's Friday afternoon to cut gauze ready for work the following Tuesday.

Burial of Henry Whitman.

Roscoe Whitman, Miss Florence Whitman and Charles Campbell of New York city, Mr. and Mrs. Wescott Whitman of Albany and Mrs. Cora Sanhouse of Oneonta were in town over Sunday, being called here to attend the burial services of the late Henry Whitman of Albany. The remains of Mr. Whitman were placed in the vault during the winter. The services Sunday were in charge of the S. A. R. post of Oneonta, assisted by Rev. Charles Clarke.

### More Mention.

Mrs. George Webster and Mrs. Buel Smith spent Tuesday in Albany.—Mrs. Doreen Ade and daughter are visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Stenson.—W. D. Culver, who has been spending several weeks in Syracuse, has returned home.—L. D. Scofield of Wells Bridge spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Helen Scofield, who is in very poor health.—A. Ford and niece, Miss Minnie Davies, who has been the domestic science instructor in the Maryland Union school for the past year, has been engaged to teach in Worcester the coming year.

### MIDDLEFIELD MATTERS

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Page Grandparents and Great Grandparents. Middlefield, April 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Page are receiving congratulations on the honor of being grandparents and great grandparents within a week. A son was born to their granddaughter Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Bridger at Bowerstown, April 6. A daughter was born to their son Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Page, Friday, April 12. All are doing nicely.



### Conserve Your Eyesight

No one can estimate the extent to which we depend upon our sight to live this world.

It is imperative then that our eyes be as nearly 100 percent useful as possible.

This is an important consideration, regardless of the nature of the work you are performing for your country.

If you need glasses for near and far vision, you need KRYPTOK GLASSES.

### KRYPTOK GLASSES THE INVISIBLE BIFOCALS

which are nationally accepted as the perfect invisible two-vision glasses. You can depend upon KRYPTOK to conserve your sight and to render perfect eyeglass comfort.

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Upstairs 207 MAIN ST.  
HOURS 9 TO 5 PHONE 367-W

## GAVE HER DELICATE CHILD VINOL

It Built Him Up and Made Him Strong

Newaygo, Mich.—My little boy was in a delicate, weak, emaciated condition and had a cough so we had to keep him out of school for a year. Nothing seemed to help him until Vinol was recommended, and the change it made in him was remarkable. It has built him up and made him strong so his cough is almost entirely gone. We can not recommend Vinol too highly.—Mrs. E. N. Hanlon.

Mother of weak, delicate, ailing children are asked to try this famous cod liver and iron tonic on our guarantee. Children love to take it. E. B. Gildersleeve, druggist, Oneonta, and at the best drug store in every town and city in the country.

**BELL-ANS**  
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25¢

At C. C. Conners'  
RIVER STREET OTEGO, N. Y.

### Farmers' Exchange Sale Every Saturday At 1 p. m.

Commission five cents on a dollar.

You will find the following articles for sale at the farmers' exchange this Saturday:

One thoroughbred Jersey cow and one black and white heifer, 1 Perry harrow, 1 plow, 1 open buggy, table, kitchen range, wood stove, 2 wash stands, 2 trunks, 3 piece parlor suit, pitchers and quantity of dishes. There will also be a fine assortment of spring and summer dress goods including voiles, organdies, masselines, etc., also handkerchiefs, lace, collars, embroideries and fancy allover laces, towels and toweling.

One nice Shote, weight 100 lbs.

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RIVER STREET OTEGO, N. Y.

Springfield Center.—Rev. Robert Brummitt left on Monday to attend the spring meeting of Presbytery. There will be no prayer meeting on Wednesday evening on account of the absence of the pastor.

Sunday Services in Friends Church. West Laurens, April 17.—Rev. E. O. Colbeck of the Baptist church at Morris will preach in the Friends church at this place Sunday, April 21, at 2:30 p. m.

### Sunday Civil Service Examination.

There will be an examination for various positions in the state service held in Oneonta on Saturday, May 25, for the following positions among others: Lock operator on canals, clerks and stenographers with state department of health (college education required and salary \$720 to \$900), medical experts on tuberculosis, library assistants, accountants, examiners in education department, tractor experts, and various positions in state institutions. Applications must be filed on or before May 15. For detailed circular and application form address State Civil Service commission, Albany, N. Y.

We have just received a big shipment of Willard Storage Batteries. Willard has a battery for every make of car. Before replacing your old battery with a new one come in and let us explain the wonderful durability of the famous Willard thread rubber insulated battery. Willard also builds a wood insulated battery that is second to none. We take your old battery in trade toward a new one.

If your battery needs charging or repairing call us on the phone. Rental batteries in stock. We are at your service. The Francis Motor Sales company, corner Main and Elm streets.

Enjoy the fragrance of a superior cup of coffee in Kipnackie brand. advt. if

### Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freeze applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freeze, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

The drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dress.

## COULD NOT STOP THE HEADACHES

### Until She Tried "Fruit-a-lives" (or Fruit Liver Tablets)

112 COSCO ST., ST. JOE'S.

"I feel I must tell you of the great benefit I have received from your wonderful medicine, 'Fruit-a-lives'.

I have been a sufferer for many years from Violent Headaches, and could get no permanent relief.

A friend advised me to take 'Fruit-a-lives' and I did so with great success; and now I am entirely free of Headaches, thanks to your splendid medicine".

MRS. ALEXANDER SHAW,  
50c. a box, \$6 for \$2.50, trial size 25¢.

At all dealers or sent on receipt of price, by FRUIT-A-LIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

## Oneonta Dept. Store, Inc.

155-163 MAIN ST.

ALSO ENTRANCE ON WALL STREET

ONEONTA, N. Y.

## Men's Work Shoes

At this season of the year, men whose work demands comfortable, serviceable shoes are considering the merits of the several lines of work shoes to be found in nearby shoe shops.

For years we have carried in stock such well known lines as "The Bass," Franklin, Honesdale, Weyenberg and Durland-Weston. They are moderate in price but high in quality, always giving the limit of satisfaction to the wearer.

### THE PRICES

The Bass Shoes.....\$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.50 to \$7.00  
Franklin Shoes, black or tan.....\$3.50

Honesdale Shoes.....\$4.00 and \$4.50

Weyenberg Shoes.....\$4.00, \$4.25 and \$5.00

Durland-Weston Scout Shoes.....\$4.00

We have other lines of Work Shoes at smaller prices

—\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

## Men's Dress Shoes

Our prices for men's finer or dress shoes start at \$2.50 and grade to about \$7.50. Price and quality considered, there are no better lines made; in fact, selections are never made until we know beyond a question of doubt the reputation of the manufacturers and quality of their products.

We believe you appreciate good service, a comfortable seat while you wait, if it so happens you must wait a few minutes, prices based on actual values and a certainty that in remote cases of dissatisfaction your claim will receive careful consideration.

### AUCTION

Will have 20 head of horses for my sale Friday, April 19. In this lot there will be one pair of blood horses seven years old, weighing 2,600 lbs. Also one pair black horses, nine years old, weighing 2,400 lbs.; one sorrel pacer formerly broken; has a mark on 2:12%.

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William M. Anderson  
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## Spring and Summer Suits in correct Models and proper Fabrics now ready.

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the kind of clothes that clean cut men approve. The man of today has passed the stage where "Freakish" fashions are accepted, he wants distinction, style, quality in material and the highest standard of workmanship, these essentials have made our clothes the standard of excellence adopted by men of discriminating taste.

\$15 \$18 \$20 and \$25

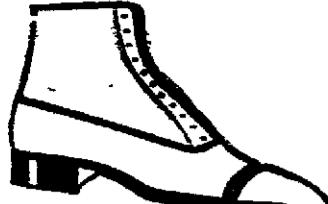
The utmost for the price in style, fabric, tailoring, and the protection of the CLUB CLOTHES guarantee which means money back if dissatisfied.

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142 MAIN STREET

ONEONTA, N. Y.





## Quality, Style and Comfort SHOES

Ralph W. Murdock  
SHOES  
175 Main St. Terms Cash

## SEEDS

We have just received a full assortment of Rice's Garden Seeds and Flower Seeds. Buy your seeds NOW and be prepared to plant a garden.

## TOWNSEND HARDWARE COMPANY

## Watch, Clock And Jewelry Repairing

Is our business, and we give careful attention to this department. We give special attention to the repairs of fine watches—the kind that need careful adjustment. We try to have all our work give satisfaction. Our prices are moderate for the class of work we do. All our repairing we guarantee.

## E. D. LEWIS JEWELER

Watch Inspector D. & H. O. & H. R.R.

## 20 Per Cent Discount Sale From Now Until May 1st

Don't Miss This Chance.

On all purchases of jewelry, clocks, silverware and cut glass there will be a discount of 20 per cent deducted.

For instance—  
A \$25.00 chest of silver for \$20.00, etc.

## F. J. ARNOYS Department Store, Oneonta.

## WILBER National Bank

ONEONTA, NEW YORK

George L. Wilber President  
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Edward Crippen Asst Cashier  
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## Safety First Make Your Dollar Holler

## 'THE HEN THAT LAYS' IS "THE HEN THAT PAYS"

Join Our Thrift Club Now

We can do our part by cutting out all waste and saving a part of our income to Loan Our Government.

To purchase U. S. Liberty Bonds deposit your savings in a bank so the bank can buy the bonds for you.

ONE DOLLAR OR MORE WILL START AN ACCOUNT IN OUR

THRIFT, VACATION, EMERGENCY OR CHRISTMAS FUND.

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## HELPS TO GOOD HOUSEKEEPING

are what our kitchen wares may be properly called. The sauce pans, frying pans, kettles, double boilers, and all sorts of other kitchen necessities shown here are the kind that make kitchen work less of a task and more of a pleasure. You'll miss much if you miss seeing the display.

**DEMERE & RILEY**  
Phone 23 48 Main Street

**March - April - May**  
is the time to take a treatment of  
**ROWE'S Red Clover**  
and  
**Dandelion Compound**  
the Ideal Spring Tonic.

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Ceresota, Bridal Veil, Gold Medal, Windsor, Whole Wheat and Graham Flour. We have the substitutes. Esperance Buckwheat Flour, Wheat and Rye Flour Blend, Barley Flour, Potato Flour, White Cornmeal, Oatmeal, Granulated and Boiled Cornmeal, Rice and Rice Flour, Prepared Buckwheat Flour. Fresh and all kinds.

Just received a complete assortment of fresh cereals direct from the mill.

Complete line of fresh fruits and vegetables at right prices.

Meats, the best of all kinds.

**CANFIELD'S MARKET**  
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**Character Quality**

**In Boys' Clothes**

We often hear - it's good enough, he will outgrow it in a short time. But don't you suppose he appreciates quality and style even the short time he does wear it?

**Our Boys' Clothes**

Have all the desirable features which please the Boy and his parents.

7 to 18 years short pants.

15 to 20 years long pants.

**SPENCER'S Busy Clothes Shop ONEONTA, N. Y.**

### PERSONALS.

Mrs. Ward G. VanNakin of Deposit is visiting relatives in town. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Silliman of 161 Main street left yesterday for New York city.

Mrs. William Olm and Mrs. Harry Taylor of this city spent Wednesday in Binghamton.

Mrs. C. L. House of this city is spending a few days with friends in Schenectady and Worcester.

Mrs. Charles Hunt, who has been quite ill at her home, 45 Chestnut street, is slowly improving.

Miss Hilton of The Hat shop, 19 Washington street, is spending the day out-of-town on business.

Mrs. Alfred W. Carr and daughter, Miss Margaret Carr, are spending a few days with relatives in Albany.

August Otto, located at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., is spending a ten-day furlough in Oneonta.

Mrs. E. McGowan of 8 Hill place is spending two weeks in Mechanicville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lytle.

Henry Hewitt of Norwich stopped over last night with the Rev. Charles S. Pendleton, on his way to Kingston on business matters.

Mrs. George B. Shearer, who had been spending a week with friends at her former home in Syracuse, returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson left last evening for New York city, where they will be present at the Red Cross conference to be held this week in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Miller of Albany, who had been guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. James Vandever of this city, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Alfred G. Shaw is convalescing from a recent illness which had confined her to the house for several weeks. She was able to get to the polls yesterday.

Mrs. F. Wright and Mrs. Roy Watson of Binghamton, who had been spending a few days at the home of William Beifield and Frank Mulkern, returned home last evening.

Mrs. A. R. Lamb of Briarcliff Manor, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. I. A. Gage, 4 Huntington avenue, left Tuesday for a further sojourn in Binghamton.

Edwin Marvin of the Great Lakes Seaman service, Great Lakes, Ill., is spending a few days' furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Marvin, 22 Myrtle avenue.

Edgar C. Horton of West Oneonta, who had for several weeks been critically ill but is now convalescing, was able to call upon friends in the city yesterday and all were pleased to greet him.

J. C. Carr of Academy street, who was taken quite ill at the D. & H. shops recently and who has since been confined to the house, is improving and was able to be out and vote on Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Sheldon, Miss Nellie Gile and Sheldon and Mary Gardner departed yesterday on a two weeks' trip. They will visit relatives and friends in Springfield, Mass., and in Albany and Schenectady.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Ottman of South Valley are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charles R. Marsh, in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Traber of Seward are also guests of Mrs. Marsh, who is their niece.

Walter D. Culver of West Oneonta has returned home after a three weeks' sojourn in Syracuse. He had the pleasure of hearing "Billy Sunday" on the no-license issue in that city and other of the eminent speakers who were in that city during his sojourn.

Three members of Captain Millard's bakery company at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., arrived in Oneonta yesterday. They are William McDonough, Eugene Williamson and Edmund Whaley, who will spend a ten-days' furlough at their homes in this city.

MAKE 2,019 COMPRESSES.

Hundred Women Answer Call of Red Cross for Volunteer Workers.

One hundred women working in the surgical dressing rooms of the Red Cross, yesterday afternoon and evening in answer to the appeal for workers to turn out dressings, completed 1,525 small compresses and 494 large ones.

A donation of \$10 was received yesterday from F. H. Brisee and one of \$1 from Anna A. Jennings.

Goods were received from West Oneonta: 50 absorbent pads and 375 small compresses, and from Schenectady: 25 absorbent pads.

Mutt and Jeff Divorced.

Measuring musical plays as they come and go, it would be impossible to find a more frolicsome and enjoyable entertainment than this season's most popular success "Mutt and Jeff Divorced," which comes to the Oneonta theatre for matinee and evening April 23.

There is the usual assortment of pretty girls, dancing specialties and gorgeous costumes to engage your eye and hold your attention, not to mention the score or more of catchy and tuneful musical numbers which are interpolated into the action of the piece.

Special.

All pork sausage, 3ec lb.; fresh ham, 22c lb.; round sirloin and porterhouse steak, 28c lb.; Swift's Premium hams, 33c lb.; Swift's frankfurts, 25c lb.; strictly fresh eggs, 36c doz.; onions, 14 lbs. 25c; kruet, 5c qt.; 6 qts., 25c; fancy maple sugar, 25c lb.; Todd's Cash market. Phone 19.

Advt. 6c

You can always tell by the label what is in a package. By buying Oregon coffee you take no chances, as it is always uniform and fresh, and price right. Ask your grocer. Advt. 3c

Dr. Taft, office 16 Ford avenue, hours, 8 to 9, 1 to 4, 6 to 8. Advt. 3c

### DEATHS.

Marshall Emory Bartow.

Marshall Emory Bartow, since 1889 a valued employee of the D. & H. shops in this city, died at his residence, 19 High street, Wednesday morning, at 3:30 o'clock, after a year's illness. The funeral services will be held from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the services conducted by Rev. B. M. Johns of the First Methodist Episcopal church and interment in Glenwood.

Mr. Bartow was born at Walton, March 7, 1844, but much of his early life prior to coming to this city was passed in Sidney and Masonville. He was the son of the late Reuben and Abigail (Cleveland) Bartow. He served for three years as a soldier in the Civil war, having been a member of Company B, 144th New York infantry. He married Martha Stockley, who died some 16 years ago the same August.

Mr. Bartow is survived by two children, Emma, the wife of C. H. Dorr, who has cared for the father during his last illness, and Stanley E. Bartow, also a well-known resident of the city. He leaves also one brother, V. L. Bartow of Academy street, who is the last of a family of five children.

The deceased was a man of modest, quiet demeanor and withal of many excellent qualities. He was especially devoted to his family and home and therein was he greatly beloved. He was also esteemed by all who knew him and the sympathy of all friends of the family will be extended.

### MARRIAGES.

Tilley-Day.

Fred C. Tilley of Hartwick and Miss Fannie A. Day of West Oneonta were married at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the parsonage of the Free Baptist church by the Rev. Charles S. Pendleton in the presence of the groom's brother and sister, Claude Tilley and Laura E. Tilley.

Mr. Tilley is a teacher by profession, his last post being in West Laurens. However, after his return from a honeymoon through the Catskills, he will settle with his wife in West Oneonta, where he will take up farming.

### SELLING ON SUNDAY.

Bert Walling Charged with Illegal Selling of Intoxicants.

Bert Walling, who is associated with Fred Whipple in the conduct of the saloon at 54 Market street, was arrested on Monday by the local officers on the charge of violating section 30 of the liquor tax law, it being alleged that he sold intoxicants on Sundays. He was arraigned before Acting Judge Holmes and deposited cash bail for his appearance on April 22, to which date the hearing was adjourned.

No earlier mention of the case was made because of the fact that while the place has been under surveillance for weeks, the arrest was made as soon as the necessary evidence was secured, which happened to be the day before the local option election opened. It has been omitted until this issue to avoid any misconception of motives.

### Enlist in Engineers.

Wallace D. Blake and Ralph C. Stewart, both of this city, have received notices from Major General W. M. Black, Chief of Engineers, U. S. A., authorizing them to enlist in a regiment of railroad engineers for duty overseas. They will be inducted into the service by the Local Board and sent Monday to Fort Slocum to be ultimately assigned to the 65th Engineers, Standard Gauge Railway Operation Regiment, Laurel, Maryland. The young men will go as conductors, as which they are now employed by the Delaware & Hudson.

### New Manager of Paragon.

E. L. England of Paterson, N. J., for several years holding a responsible position in one of the leading silk mills in that city, has arrived in Oneonta and has assumed the position of manager for the Paragon Silk company. He succeeds J. A. Widmer, who resigned the position a short time ago. The new manager is a competent and reliable man and will be heartily welcomed in this city.

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### ONE CENT A WORD

**ADDED POTOTES**—Twenty bushels Irish Cobbler, sold per \$1.50 bushel. L. L. Cooper, Cooperstown, N. Y.

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**ARMY WITH ETERNAL SMILE**

English Warriors Display Greatest Fortitude Especially During Hours of Suffering in Hospitals.

Sir Berkeley Moynihan, the representative of Great Britain in the surgeon general's office in Washington, said recently that the English army is an army with a smile, that it never wears off and that where it is most persistent is in the war hospitals. In his ceaseless visits to the bedside of the wounded at night he could not but be touched by the awful loneliness and solitude and the aching misery of the early hours of the day. But never was there a whimper of regret or surrender.

Never would he forget one boy who had a bad compound fracture of the knee joint, which every effort had been made to save. In spite of the efforts gangrene had come on and amputation was necessary.

By blood transfusion, the use of which in surgery was due to Maj. George Cripe, the American surgeon, the boy had been put into something like fair condition. Though still a grave surgical risk the boy had had to have his chance.

Sir Berkeley had seen him several times during the evening and again at half past eleven, when he had said: "Well, how are you?" The boy turned his white, weary face to him and said as loudly as he could, "I am up-top, sir;" and at midnight was dead.

The Oneonta Garage company, Wall street, have just installed at one side of the entrance to the building a new Wayne gasoline pump that delivers five gallons at a stroke. This makes a modern outfit that saves time to the car owner and gives better service than the one gallon pumps. This pump is used for Texas gas, while on the other side is a Standard gas pump. This firm has also made another improvement in the form of a large independent lighting and battery charging outfit. The Fairbanks kerosene engine turns a generator that lights their modern garage and takes care of their large storage battery business that they have been doing for the past three years. They have maintained a battery service station with modern equipment longer than any other firm in this section and are always at your service with competent help who have had years of experience in this work. This garage company carries a complete line of Exide batteries and repair parts for all makes of batteries.

**Water Rents.**

Water rents are now due and payable without commission for 20 days from April 1, at the office of the Water company, at the Wilber National bank. Open during banking hours and from 7 to 8 evenings.

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**BUYING BONDS****AT 14 CENTS A DAY****D. & H. LOAN ACTIVITIES**

LOCOMOTIVE AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENTS OF THIS DIVISION ACT.

Former Department Secures Sales of Third Liberty Loan Bonds Aggregate \$12,100 Within a Few Hours—Committee Named and Work Will Be Pushed.

D. & H. men took hold of the Liberty Loan with avidity yesterday and the campaign for subscriptions is in full swing. The men of the Locomotive department responded at once and within a few hours yesterday a total of \$12,100 was subscribed in a few hours. The men of that department went at the task with a will bright and early yesterday. Master Mechanic Donellan called a meeting at 9 o'clock in the morning of his committee, which is composed of J. F. Donellan, chairman, W. D. Baggett, Z. Pierce, F. M. Coleman, H. Mur, F. L. Olin, W. Keidel, W. E. Storer, W. J. Williams, D. Laurie, Thomas Murphy, George Marks and W. B. Auchengriff, and at which plans were made for personally interviewing each and every one of the shopmen on the Susquehanna division.

The investors were better off, too, because they were saving for a definite object, and an intensely patriotic object, and Uncle Sam was better off because he had the Liberty bond subscriptions. Not only that, but Uncle Sam also had the full sum he sought, for the bankers advanced their institutions' money to pay in full for the canvass as quickly as possible.

**Transportation Department.**

Supt. McNeillie of the transportation department held a conference at his office during the afternoon and after outlining the plan appointed the following committees:

General Supervisory—H. M. Garigan, chairman; Messrs. Hanor, Bowen and Höinz.

No. 1 — E. W. Lauder, assistant trainmaster at Schenectady, chairman; A. J. Sheehy, E. Jacobs, W. J. Quinn, E. C. Sloan, Fred Mann, F. A. Eckerson, M. E. Sheppard, L. F. Weller. Territory, Mechanicville, Delanson, Central Bridge, Altamont crews and Kenwood yards.

No. 2 — A. Dickinson, assistant trainmaster at Oneonta, chairman; M. J. Hall, W. Thorne, G. A. Perkins, W. J. McCarmen, J. P. Brady, C. E. Ryndes and S. Daley. Territory, Oneonta yard and road men running north from Oneonta.

No. 3 — H. D. Lewis, assistant trainmaster, chairman; P. F. Shea, P. F. Gallivan, John O'Brien, J. W. McCullough, F. E. Grover, Joseph Davis, E. Pennyfeather. — Territory, Binghamton yard and train crews out of Finghamton, and employees at Sidney and Nineveh.

No. 4 — J. H. Ferry, division agent, and R. W. Hunt, chief dispatcher, joint chairman; G. A. Ingalls, H. C. Becker, M. Eldredge, J. H. Crockett.

**April Victor Records**

During the first months of the war the English and French people abstained from amusements, but time, however, has proved that amusements are an actual necessity.

One of the best records of the month is No. 18435, "Are You from Heaven?" sung by Henry Burr. Another good one by Burr is No. 18439, "Just a Baby's Prayer at Twilight." Alma Gluck sings the old American song No. 64729 "Darling Nellie Gray," with a male chorus.

There are other good ones. Come in and hear them.

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Victrolas and Sporting Goods

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